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Dear Kris Mayes,

I was in the process of writing to you about APS's requested rate increase when I read an article in the April 21 The Arizona Republic which stated that you had views similar to mine. Fantastic! I think I will state my views below.

- 1. APS is wasting its money (ours] on advertising. It is a monopoly.
- 2. Why are they wasting money on sports?
- 3. I think that is a fantastic idea of yours to have them take the bonuses they would have issued next year and put it in a rate-stabilization fund.

Good luck to you on the above.

Yours truly,

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